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WAR NEWS.

BOTH RE-OPEN PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

100 Boats Captured.
Volunteers Arrive
Kitchener Doing Good Work

Winnipeg, May 20, 391.
Both have again opened peace negotiations in South Africa.
Sixteen hundred South African volunteers have arrived at Southampton. Kitchener is doing effective, if not brilliant work in the new colonies.
Cape Town, May 19.—Gen. Buller has just concluded a successful concerted movement against the Boers in the Northern Transvaal. The British columns engaged in the operations covered a wide area, routing all the commandos that opposed them and capturing a thousand Boers and a great quantity of supplies, stock and wagons in the various districts. General Buller conducted the operations in the left center with Gen. Finner on the left, Gen. Kitchener on the right, Gen. Venter in the center, but succeeded in making his escape with a few mounted men. The Boers did not make a stand at any point.

General Telegraphic News

ALBERT BANDO'S MURDERER WILL HANG

Seasonal Indemnity Increased.

Mr. McKinlay Improving.

Elevator Burned.

Trouble at West Point.

Albany Riots Over.

Madam Rouleau's Condition.

Frederic Collins will be hanged at Golden, B. C., on July 20th, for the murder of Arthur Bando. Collins is from Woodstock, and Bando from Edmonton.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has given notice of an increase in the seasonal indemnity to farmers and commoners from \$1,000 to \$1,200. Further supplementary bills were brought down Saturday night. They total \$1,240,476 and include \$80,000 for the purchase of the plain of Abraham and \$100,000 for a hydrographic survey of Lake Winnipeg. The day was devoted to the railway resolutions.

Mrs. McKinlay is steadily improving. On Saturday night the president witnessed the launching of the battleship Ohio at San Francisco in the presence of 30,000 people. Sunday the mistress of the white house was able to sit up.

The Lake of the Woods elevator and 2000 bushels of wheat at Indian Head were destroyed by fire.

Washington, May 19.—Serious trouble is feared at West Point, because eighty-three cadets were arrested for training a gun on the quarters of Col. Mills, superintendent of the academy. The cadets claim that the officers were treating them unfairly and that they are punished on the slightest provocation. Gen. MacArthur's son is among these arrested. Things are assuming such proportions that the war department will be forced to step in to quell the disturbance. It is held out that when the congressional committee were here to investigate the hazing of Cadet Cozz, which caused the latter's death, the graduates of the academy recommended the abolition of hazing to which the upper classes objected. The classes appealed to Col. Mills, who agreed to allow the upper class men to haze the fourth class men. If the charge is true there will be more trouble in the academy.

Albany, N. Y., 19.—All cars were run without interruption to-day. When the first car started out pistols were fired, flags waved, torpedoes were placed on the tracks and exploded. Fully two hundred persons fought for the privilege of the first ride. The departure of troops was attended by little excitement on account of the heavy rain. The funerals of Leroy, Smith and William Walsh, who were shot dead by the soldiers, were held at the funeral home. The services were proceeding in a church a crowd unable to gain admittance saw a soldier coming down the street a rush was made for him but the soldier ran and escaped what might have been death.

San Francisco, May 19.—In the opinion of the attending physician Mrs. McKinlay is in a fair way to recover her normal strength and spirits in a very short time, her recuperative power being remarkable. There is, of course, the possibility of a relapse, close attention will still be necessary.

Calgary, May 20, 330.
Madame Rouleau's condition remains unchanged. She is still extremely ill and doctors are in constant attendance. A slight improvement is noted this afternoon and hopes for her ultimate recovery are held out.

The Duchess of Cleveland, mother of Lord Rosebery, is dead.
Rev. Malia Davonport, of New York, suicided at Naples.

Prof. Steen has come out with another challenge to Bishop Bond.

Turkey will apologize to the powers respecting the postal questions.

United States Secretary Hay has drafted new proposals on the Nicaragua canal.

A distinguished party of Asiatic tourists passed through Winnipeg Saturday.

The yacht Independence, owned by Thos. W. Lawson was launched at Boston.

A puzzling upheaval of earth has been discovered on a farm near Souris, Man.

Washouts in New Brunswick have carried away the Intercolonial track near Sackville.

Some splendid photographs of the eclipse were secured by astronomers in Mauritius and Sumatra.

By the collapse of a big chimney at Milledgeville, N. C., a suburb of St. John, three persons were killed.

A memorial service to the late Alexander Campbell, a Winnipeg pioneer, was held in St. Andrew's church.

A number of new principal appointments were announced in the Manitoba Gazette.

Since 1870 the corn crop area in Britain have decreased, but stock raising is advancing.

Two Catholics married by a Protestant minister have had their wedding annulled by the courts.

The big international machinists' strike will be declared to-day throughout the United States.

By the explosion of a vessel on Lake Bemidji, Minn., three persons were killed and two fatally burned.

Physicians have given authentic explanations concerning the Queen of Serbia and again confused the curious.

The eight-oared crew of the Vespers, Philadelphia, have challenged the world to a race on neutral waters.

Construction work on the link connecting the Northern Pacific Portage branch with Gladstone has commenced.

A bill has been introduced in the Canadian commons abolishing the position of commissioner of inland revenue held by Mr. McNeil.

The Galop canal has been opened and vessels drawing fourteen feet of water can now navigate all the St. Lawrence waterway.

E. H. Calloway has resigned as president of the New York Central to become president of the American Locomotive Co., at a salary of \$60,000 a year.

The feature of the debate in the British house of commons last week was Mr. Winston Churchill's stand on the army bill and his practical determination to continue the fight against the present military system.

Onion Lake, May 18.—The many friends of Const. T. W. Lucey, will regret to hear of his death which took place here last night. "Tim" was one of the pioneers of the force and was a great favorite. Deceased died of inflammation and leaves a widow and four children.

Niagara Falls, May 19.—Wm. Gardhouse of Edmonton committed suicide this afternoon in sight of hundreds by jumping into the Niagara river a few feet from Prospect park.

Brisbane, May 19.—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall arrived here this morning. The city was beautifully decorated.

London, May 18.—Great preparations are being made to entertain the members of the New York chamber of commerce who will visit London in June. It is probable that they will be received by King Edward at Marlborough house in private.

Toronto, Ont., May 19.—A mail bag containing a large number of registered letters was stolen from an automobile at the Union station here on Saturday night while the bags were being placed on the Canadian Pacific train.

Ottawa, Ont., May 20.—Both the senate and the house of commons sat Saturday so as to expedite the winding up of the session's work. In the upper house a number of bills were disposed of and progress made with the others. In the house of commons which sat till past 11 o'clock at night the railway subsidy resolution, aggregating \$3,462,000, were adopted. Further supplementary estimates amounting to \$1,240,476 were brought down by the finance minister. This brings the total expenditure up to the high water mark of sixty million dollars. Among the new items provided for are additional, for census \$100,000, additional allowances for Northwest schools \$25,000. The increasing of seasonal indemnity commences with the present session. The premier will give notice of a resolution to that effect in the house on Monday.

St. Paul, Minn., May 19.—While President Mellon, of the Northern Pacific railway, will not deny nor affirm the rumor that he has tendered his resignation as president of that railroad his friends declare that he did so and say his resignation was handed in when it became known that J. J. Hill had obtained control of the Northern Pacific since his recent visit to New York. President Mellon has acted indifferently concerning the outcome of negotiations for the transfer of the road control and it is reported that President Mellon has an offer of the presidency of the New York Central.

Vancouver, B. C., May 19.—The Vancouver Daily World states that they have been informed on the best authority that one, if not two, big steamships will be added to the Oriental fleet of the C. P. R. The World says it is certain one will be built and it is altogether likely that orders will be given for a second before this one is constructed. The steamships will be bigger and faster than those now on the run. They are now being built to accommodate the ever increasing traffic between Canada and China and Japan, and to enable the C. P. R. to hold their own with the American lines which are constantly adding modern boats to their fleets.

LOCAL.

—All annual licenses of the town expire on the 31st May. Applications for renewal must be made at once.

—Miss A. V. McLeod, of the Post, returned from Regina Monday where she had been attending the session in the interest of the paper.

—G. W. Bradley, formerly in business as a farber here, and lately ranching near Star, has bought out J. Richards' barbering business in Strathcona.

—J. Russell, T. Coghlan and a party of freight boatmen left Saturday for Great Slave lake, taking down Swigert and party's trading supplies.

—The quarantine hospital being closed out, the town council is calling for all accounts incurred in connection with it in order to close the matter up.

—G. Edliffe and L. Beaudreau, of St. Albert, have entered into partnership under the firm name of Belliss & Beaudreau, and will open up as general merchants in July.

—Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist church in Canada, preached in the Methodist church next Sunday evening, lecturing in the church on the evening following.

—P. Anderson & Co., manufacturers of pressed brick, etc., have bought fourteen and a half acres of land from Donald Ross on Mill Creek flat across the river, and are moving their plant over to the site of the new manufactory. W. F. Tallman is manager of the new company.

—A light shower of rain fell Saturday, doing much to freshen up the verdure and promote growth of grain and grasses. So far, since seeding, the weather has been ideal for growth and all that is desired is a continuance of present conditions to ensure a most successful crop. The excessive rains of last year have so far, fortunately, failed to recur.

—Father Lacombe returned from a visit with friends residing in the Willow Creek district the latter end of last week. The settlers are reported to be in a flourishing condition and contented and happy. At Lyndon the rev. father baptised the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Lyndon.

—Four hundred thousand acres more than last year, are being seeded in the Northwest. At 50 bushels to the acre that will be 20,000,000. The Canada Atlantic will be heavily taxed when the grain begins to move.—Ottawa Free Press.

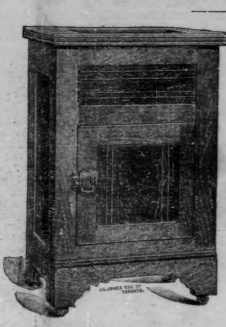
—Supt. Howe, N. W. M.P., has arrived in Canada from the war in South Africa. After a short sojourn in the east he will return to Regina and then be transferred to the command of the division at Macleod.

—H. V. Shaw has commenced the manufacture of cigars in his new factory just established here. The output of the factory, which is of excellent quality, will be put on the market next month, the cigars requiring a short period in which to season and dry before being put on sale.

—From their band stand Friday night, the band in first class style rendered an excellent musical program. The concert was greatly enjoyed by a large assemblage. The numerical strength of the band has greatly increased and with it there has been a corresponding increase of proficiency.

—Ex-factor, Jas. McKinlay, expects to leave to-morrow for Great Slave lake, accompanying J. M. Swigert, who, with his associates, is taking down a large trading outfit estimated at \$12,000 for the purpose of entering into fur trading at the lake. Dr. Polk goes back to the States but will shortly return to Edmonton and follow down the river with additional scows and supplies.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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A valuable coat, between Collier's harness-shop and 12th street on Remond avenue, on Friday. Finder will oblige by returning to the office.

Wanted.
By young man, position as grocery or drug clerk. Good references. Apply H. H. The Bulletin.

For Sale.
One-story frame house, three rooms and kitchen. Small stable. Good water. Place fenced. Five minutes walk from post office. Apply to
AN HIE CAMERON, Osmotherly.

Lost.
One horse, weight 1150 lbs., branded on left hip with foretop cut off.
One bright mare, weight between 900 and 1000 lbs., with right ear on right front foot, with foretop also cut off. Left Edmonton on Friday afternoon, May 18th. Any information leading to their recovery will be rewarded by the undersigned.
5350 J. W. KELLY.

Public Meeting.
A Public Meeting of the citizens is called for Wednesday eve at 7 o'clock, in Council Chamber for the purpose of receiving reports of Sports Committee of 1900-01 and other business.
R. W. MacKENZIE, Mayor.

NOTICE.
Rev. T. P. LINDSEY.
Notice is hereby given that all annual licenses of the Town of Edmonton expire on the 31st day of May of each year. Parties wishing to renew their licenses for the year 1901-1902 will please make application at once to the undersigned.
Full particulars will be supplied on application.
By order,
5341 GEO. J. KENNAID, Secretary-Treasurer.

NOTICE.
ACCOUNTS AGAINST CIVIL HOSPITAL.
As the Civil Hospital at the Hudson Bay Co. Big House is now being closed, it is requested that all parties to whom the Municipalities of Edmonton and Strathcona may be indebted for supplies or services rendered in connection therewith will render statements of their accounts to the undersigned on or before Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1901. Otherwise no provision will be made for their payment.
By order,
5340 GEO. J. KENNAID, Secretary-Treasurer.

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—A new telegraph office has been opened at Star. E. Holmes is the operator in charge.

—Rev. W. Haggith, of Lacombe, preached in the Methodist church yesterday at divine services.

—W. H. Cooper goes south in the morning to attend a meeting of the license commissioners at Lacombe.

—A send-off to W. Patton, who leaves in a few days for his trading post on the Mackenzie river, will be tendered by a number of friends in the Jasper House to-night.

—Yesterday Mr. Justice Rouleau, who has been presiding at the sitting of the court here, received word of the dangerous, and it was feared, fatal illness of his wife at Calgary. Last night a special train arrived from the north for his lordship. Madame Rouleau's condition being so low that hope was given up. His lordship left this morning at one on the special.

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THOS. EDWARDS, Littlefield's Farm, Agriculture.

Two Heavy Danks' Horses, One 10-12 years old this spring and one four years old this spring. Both by Imported Irish and Black. For further particulars apply to
GEO. JOHNSON, Fort Macleod.

MINISTERING IN THE ARCTIC

Rev. Father Le Pevre arrived in Victoria a few days ago by the Charming, from the far-away arctic. For a number of years he was stationed at Fort McPherson, about 150 miles from the mouth of the Mackenzie, here he has labored for years among the Esquimaux and Indians, and has made many trips to the whalers in their winter quarters at Herschel Island, in the Arctic. So difficult has been the work among the peoples of that land at the arctic tip, that he has been able to make but one convert as a result of his many years' of faithful labor and, says the reverend gentleman, with regret, that convert was a dying old woman, on the verge of the grave.

It is a year since he left his far-away station, where the tribes have not, religion is unknown to them, and there is no greater respect among them for the priest than for the hunter or whaler. On April 11th he started out, and along the great Porcupine with a dog team, accompanied by a party of miners, he journeyed for 120 days, and at last reached the Yukon, near Fort Yukon, and there he remained for some months before resuming his journey, from which he arrived yesterday, having come from Dawson to Vancouver by the Victoria.

On nearing the Yukon his party took boat on the Porcupine, and were fortunate in rescuing two unfortunate miners from death. The river was filled with running ice, and two miners who were in the rapids with their boat, encountered a cake of ice, which sank the boat, and they endeavored to reach shore on a log, but the bank being high they had difficulty in getting ashore. At length one made a landing, but the other was left on a ledge from which he could not get to safety.

As Father Le Pevre and his party were passing the unfortunate called for help and in running in to give aid to his boat narrowly escaped. Finally they had to go some distance and procure a rope 300 feet long, with which they hauled him up the cliff in safety. The miners thus rescued were Messrs. Robertson and Sutherland, two of a party that were returning from the Porcupine district.

The returned missionary says that from what he can learn there is little if any gold in this far northern district, and the adventurous ones who have prospected it have not found much to reward them.

At his station at Fort McPherson, at the Mackenzie, Father Le Pevre labored for years among the 250 Indians, and several times he carried the religion of his church to the 250 Esquimaux at Herschel Island where they congregated in their igloos at the winter quarters of the whalers. Now that the whaling vessels are deserting Herschel Island for Cape Bathurst and Cape Parry, owing to the fact that more whalers are found to the eastward, the Esquimaux who had followed the whalers from the westward, and offer from the other side Esquimaux of that district, are following them.

Three times, and perils and adventures, whose details would make chapters, the reverend father has made the trip from Fort McPherson to the whalers, once in 1885, again in 1886 and again, in 1897, that year of disaster among whalers, when the "Rosario" and two other vessels were wrecked, and the Navarcho lost and others of the fleet caught in the pack. On his first trip he says that he was caught in a great storm in the Arctic, after leaving the Mackenzie in his small boat, he would never have reached the island if it were not for the whaling captain, who saw him and rescued him and those with him.

Of the people among whom he has labored, he says they are nomads, the Indians of the Mackenzie living in frail boats and following the game, and the Esquimaux, also wanderers, building their igloos wherever the whalers congregate. They are not yet civilized, and are cruel and rather barbarous; but he lived in safety with them, although one attempt was made on his life. As for Christianizing them, the missionary says that work is difficult indeed, for they know nothing, or will know nothing of religion.

During his residence among the Indians there was no word or rumor of any passing nation, nor did he hear any lots of news which would lead to the belief that the missing lands had been seen in that part of the Arctic.

We have just received the preliminary management and programme of the big trap-shooting tournament to be held at Winnipeg on Aug. 1 and 2, during the continuance of the Western Canada exhibition. This meet seems to have assumed much larger proportions than many devotees of the sport in this country are aware of. The additions to the prizes in the way of added money, trophies and medals, amount to the two days over while the tournament extends to nearly \$10,000. A most hearty invitation is extended to all trap-shots and sportsmen, to come and participate in the tournament, and see Western Canada's great fair, which in this year extending for prizes and attractions alone the enormous sum of \$40,000. If you do not receive a programme, or wish to make any inquiries, a post card addressed to F. W. Hirsch, Winnipeg, Manitoba, will bring you full information.

CANADA'S POPULATION.

For purposes of comparison, when the actual population of Canada this year will be made known, it may be pointed out that the population of the Dominion in 1871 was 3,689,257, and in 1881 it had risen to 4,242,810, or an increase of 553,553 in the ten years, or a little over 17 per cent. In 1891, the census showed the population to be 4,833,230, and an increase over that of 1881 of only 590,420, or about 13-4 per cent, and fewer by 127,124 than during the previous decade. Now, a vastly different showing is predicted, and the large increase of 25 per cent, is confidently anticipated to be the result of the present enumeration.

In making so generous an estimate, it is not improbable that those who are well informed and in a position to judge with reasonable correctness, and who, taking into account the rapid progress made by Canada during the last five years, and considering, also, the recovery of agriculture, the large increase in immigration and the great development of the mining industry, calculate upon a population of over six millions, may be found not as over- sanguine as the optimists of 1891, who, regarding the manufacturing progress of the preceding decades, and draw similar flattering conclusions. The steady growth of Canadian commercial and financial statistics, during the last few years, makes an extraordinary increase in the population of this country seem more probable, but it is claimed by some that there is nothing in Canada's vital statistics or in the statistics as to immigration to support such rosy expectations. There is much promise, however, of a surprise to Canadians generally when the census figures are announced.

HERALD.
Slight fall of snow Thursday morning.

Dr. Drinnan has been visiting at Medicine Hat.

Mrs. Hare and family arrived from Halifax on Tuesday. Mr. Hare came in with forty head of stockers, etc., on Friday.

P. Horn has moved his blacksmith shop on to the right lot and has made improvements.

A daily mail service will be inaugurated shortly.

W. Fawcett and his brother joined the benedictines on May 4. The former married Miss Stewart.

Miss E. Tyner was married to Mr. Geo. Moore at noon on Thursday, by Rev. C. H. Andrus, of Wetaskiwin. About 20 guests sat down to dinner at the Royal hotel.

Hugh Miller has decided to locate here. He will raise stock.

Mr. Matusch has bought out the co-operative store and has put in a complete line of groceries, etc.

Mr. Roe, of Wetaskiwin, paid us a visit last week.

M. A. Miller has left for eastern parts where he will buy stockers for this district.

Mr. Whitman, of Montreal, arrived Friday and is looking over the country.

Truman Bros. saw mill is expected to arrive any day.

The Herricks have moved into their new premises, lot 5, block 2.

Several cars of settlers effects from South Dakota dropped off here last week.

Mr. Hardie, of the firm of Miller & Hardie, Pigeon Lake, is here in the interests of their fishing industry.

Farmers are well advanced in their seeding operations.

Miss Tyner has arrived from Ireland and is staying at Ferrybank.

The baseball ground has been fixed up.

Mrs. Yull, of Red Deer, arrived on Wednesday.

Dutch refugees say the reason that there have been so many Boer surrenders recently is because Commandant Botha wishes to get rid of his weak fighters, who, instead of helping him, are an encumbrance. These refugees say that Gen. Botha recently made an address to the burghers in which he declared that he wished to retain only those who were willing to fight to the finish. The fact remains, however, that the best of the Boer fighters steal away and surrender whenever they have a chance, as they are heartily sick of undergoing hardships without any object in view.

The foreign ministers on May 8th, decided to address a collective note to the Chinese government informing it that joint indemnity of 450,000,000 taels would be demanded, and asking what methods of payment were proposed. A reply was expected at the end of the week proposing to meet the indemnity by raising the customs tariff. It is considered likely that the powers will assent to some such measure in return for concessions of the part of China in the shape of the total abolition of the like, in place of import duties on gold, really free navigation of Chinese waters, removal of impediments to navigation and tax at Wu Suang.

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Edmonton, Alta.
Calgary, Alta.
Saskatoon, Sask.
Winnipeg, Man.

AGENTS IN GREAT BRITAIN—Lloyds Bank, Ltd.
25 Lombard St., London, with whom money may be deposited for transfer by letter or cable to any part of Canada.

AGENTS IN UNITED STATES—New York, San Francisco, Boston, National Bank of the Commonwealth, Chicago, First National Bank, Union National Bank, Detroit, Detroit National Bank, Duluth, First National Bank, American Exchange Bank, Philadelphia, Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank, St. Paul, Second National Bank, Minneapolis, Northwestern National Bank, San Francisco, Wells, Fargo & Co's Bank, Portland, Oregon, Wells, Fargo & Co's Bank.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Regina, May 8th.

The sitting of the assembly to-day was again brief. The steam boilers inspection bill was read a second time. Commissioner Sifton explained that the ordinance had been consolidated and a few amendments introduced. The only amendment which touched at all the principle of the measure had reference to the issuing of provisional certificates. A sufficient number of engineers were now on the list to supply the wants of the Territories and the issue of further provisional certificates would be restricted.

Petitions were presented by Mr. McDonald for the incorporation of the Northeastern Assiniboia Stock Growers Association, by Mr. Villeneuve for the incorporation of the Saskatchewan Exploration company; and by Dr. Elliott to amend the ordinance under which the town of Wolsely was incorporated. Mr. Gillis moved the first reading of an ordinance to legalize a certain debt by-law of the town of Whitecourt.

Mr. R. B. Bennett approved of the consolidating portions of the bill but strongly objected to the department fixing the value of expropriated lands. He thought the owners should have the privilege of arbitration or an appeal to the courts. He hoped the bill would be amended in this respect in committee. The bill was then read a second time, after which the steam boilers' bill made progress in committee and the house adjourned until Monday.

Regina, May 9th.

G. M. Anable, the newly elected member for Moose Jaw, took his seat to-day as an independent, being introduced by Mr. A. B. Gillis and Mr. E. C. McDonald, respectively, of the government and opposition sides.

Premier Haultain moved the second reading of a bill respecting the water gas, electric and telephone companies. The object of the bill is to make such provisions for such companies, registered under the companies' ordinance, and the foreign companies ordinances, as are not in those two ordinances. The bill was read a second time.

Mr. A. L. Sifton moved the second reading of a bill respecting the public works department. The bill is chiefly consolidating in its nature but introduces, two new principles, one in regard to lands expropriated for roads and bridges, and gives the remuneration in such cases. This was to avoid litigation. A second point was that the government could expropriate for drainage purposes. This was rendered necessary by the climatic changes north of the Saskatchewan where in consequence of abundant rains, sloughs and marshes prevented settlers from harvesting and marketing their crops. In these cases the actual value of the land would be paid the owners of the land taken but there would be no damages.

Regina, May 13th.

In the assembly to-day S. McLeod moved for a return relating to public companies doing business in the Territories. His object, he said, was to find out whether such institutions as the Canada Mutual Loan and Investment Company could be allowed to do business and if so to alter the law so that they could not. He quoted instances to show that parties, who had paid up the full amount loaned with interest, insurance and all charges yet found themselves owing more than ever. He characterized the transactions as a swindle.

R. B. Bennett recorded, and corroborated the statements as to the indebtedness of persons to the company after they had paid up everything that equitably demanded.

Hon. Mr. Bulyea admitted the grievance, and would not oppose the motion which was then agreed to.

Premier Haultain moved the second reading of a bill to remove certain doubts as to the effect of the local improvement ordinance. He said that in certain suits against the Hudson's Bay Company and other companies, and some individuals to recover taxes on their lands the government had raised certain technical points by a construction of the ordinance that was never intended by the assembly when it passed the ordinance. The hon. gentleman quoted precedents in the imperial parliament for such declaratory legislation.

Thos. Mackay objected to the retroactive character of the bill. Litigation was still pending, and he objected to it, as a measure, that sought to interfere with the cases not yet decided. If the house had made a mistake it must abide the consequences to remedy the mistake in the future, but he would support a future.

R. B. Bennett spoke strongly against the bill. Even if the assembly had power to pass such a measure it was a power that should be used very carefully. Cases were still pending, and what the bill proposed was really to tell the judges what the law was, and to tell them that unless they decided a certain way they were deciding wrongly.

A. L. Sifton, for the government, replied that the most desperate efforts were being put forward by the great corporations to evade their taxes, which the ordinary settlers had to pay, and in the interests of the settlers the law on the subject should be

declared. The bill was read a second time and after several bills had been advanced a stage the house adjourned.

The members, however, kept their seats, and considered as private persons an invitation from the city council and board of trade of Calgary asking the lieutenant-governor and the assembly to visit that city as its guests on May 24. It was decided that the members of the assembly should accept, the invitation, and a committee was appointed to draft a suitable reply.

TERRITORIAL PUBLIC

WORKS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report of the department of public works for the territorial government has been issued. It contains much information as to the resources and development of the country.

The first subject of public importance taken up is that of coal mines. The report of Dan Evans, inspector, shows that there are now 36 coal mines in the Northwest Territories, 1 in the north, the balance in the south. Out of the 36 there are in the Edmonton district 18. The output of 22 of the mines during 1900 was: Bituminous 303,730 tons, anthracite 17,549 tons. The mines from which returns were not received are small workings, and the statement probably shows within a thousand tons of the total output. There are eight fairly large mines in the district of Assiniboia, five of them being at Coalfields. These mines are developing rapidly with good prospects of becoming very extensive. The other three are in the neighborhood of Medicine Hat, and are not so large; they are only operated during the winter months. The other twenty-eight coal mines are in the district of Alberta. One of the most extensive at Lethbridge, and four small mines south of Lethbridge; one, about twenty miles west of Okotoks, is also a small mine with slight prospects of much increased development; one extensive mine at Canmore; one extensive mine at Athabasca; and there are two in the neighborhood of Red Deer; seventeen small coal mines in Edmonton and surrounding neighborhood, and one at Kneehill, sixty-five miles northeast of Calgary. The coal mined in the above coal mines is of three classes—anthracite, bituminous and lignite. The anthracite coal is mined at Athabasca in Alberta; the bituminous coal at Canmore and in the coal mines west of Okotoks, and at Blairmore. All the other coal mined in the Northwest Territories is of the lignite class, that mined at Lethbridge being the best quality.

In the mines at Edmonton and the neighboring districts the greatest variation occurs, in the thickness of the seams, being from about three feet to twelve in thickness of marketable coal.

Concluding his report, the inspector of coal mines says:

From reliable reports coal mining all over the Northwest Territories bids fair to become one of its most important industries. One coal mine is said to be developing extensively at Livingston on the Crow's Nest railway, 30 miles west of Macleod. Another mine is already shipping a bituminous coal from P. H. Hume to points along the Crow's Nest line and up to Calgary. A charter has already been applied for to build a spur line to the coal mines some distance out of Red Deer. A spur was built during the year to what is known as the Taylor mine at Coal. The mine promises to become an important one. The vast territories, and the towns and industries springing up, the corresponding demand for fuel for all purposes establishes the future importance of the coal mining industry.

Under the heading of "Accountant's Branch," the following figures are shown:

Total amount voted for	\$180,000.00
Total amount expended	\$75,960.00

Of the survey's branch the report states: At the present time we have at least two thousand cases of title to right of way in process of settlement, and, judging from past experience, the cost of acquiring the title involved in these cases will reach the large sum of \$50,000.00. This sum seems startling, but is based on the allowance of \$25.00 for each case, and that estimate is not excessive if we are to be guided by past experience. The sum of \$15,977.00 was expended in repairing public works during the past year.

IMPERIAL ARMY SCHEME.
The war secretary, Mr. Brodrick, in the house of commons on the 13th, moved his army scheme, providing for six corps with 50,000 militia as a reserve and increasing the yeomanry from 12,000 to 35,000 men. The liberal leader Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman moved as an amendment that while desirous of improving the efficiency of the army the proposals largely increased the existing burdens without adding substantially to the military strength of Great Britain. Sir Henry complained that the proposals he asked for figures and definite statements. Mr. Wyndham, the Irish secretary, in defending the general economy of the military establishment, said that while the British soldier cost in all £111 annually, the American soldier, taking into account the pensions, cost £297 annually before the war with Spain and prior to that date, when the United States had foreign soldiers. After several other speeches the debate was adjourned.

Small pox has at last reached Winnipeg, and four persons have been moved to the pest house. Three others have been quarantined in a house at 804 Logan avenue, and are under surveillance.

Mrs. Louis Roth, who has obtained consent to interview Mr. Kruger and urge him to accept peace, sailed on the 13th, for Europe on the steamer Dunvegan Castle.

J. B. Charleson, superintendent of the all-Canadian telegraph line to Dawson, returned from the frozen north on the 13th. He reports 100 miles of wire stretched from Port Simpson towards Quesnelle and states all lines will be finished July 15. The gap between the two ends of the main line has been surveyed and found to be eighty feet in width as the crow flies.

On Thursday of last week Mr. Sam DeLany shipped several car loads of cattle to Mr. W. Hyde at Bassano, a station near Gleichen. When the north-bound train was a short distance west of Macleod one of the car doors gave way and out tumbled seven head of the cattle. Six of them escaped uninjured but the seventh had broken a leg and was turned over to the tender mercies of the section men. The rest of the animals were driven back to the chute and reloaded; the accident only caused a short delay.—Macleod Advance.

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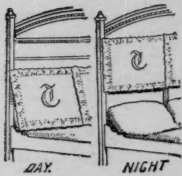
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